

## Back into the fish consumption pool

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From Lori, Kristine provided me with a copy of EPA's Feb 11, 2004 letter to LWG, and as I wrote this, Chip provided electronic copies. In discussing fish consumption and exposure concentrations, the letter states"

EPA, in consultation with its partners, has developed a proposal for the evaluation of the fish consumption exposure pathway in the human health risk assessment.

It apparently attached Dana's spread sheet that you and referred to the other day, as well as the resolution memo. The letter then states that "EPA directs the LWG to utilize the described approach in the human health risk assessment." I want to confirm your memory that all parties were in the room when the fish consumption rates were worked out, and by all parties, that means the LWG (I assume Laura Kennedy or the risk assessor that preceded her?). I think this is one of those technicalities where an agreement was reached in a meeting, but then the LWG asked EPA to direct them to follow the agreement.



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